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Upper Mississippi River

REISSUE OF SPECIAL NOTICE TO NAVIGATION INTERESTS

LOCK AND DAM NO. 24, CLARKSVILLE, MISSOURI, UMR Mile 273.5

1. The St. Louis District is currently administering a major rehabilitation contract for the resurfacing of the concrete lock walls at Lock and Dam No. 24, Clarksville, Missouri. The contract is scheduled to extend over three winter seasons.

2. Please note the upcoming 2nd closure in the following contract schedule for lock closures:

1 st Closure - Winter 2001-2002	January 2, 2002	60 Days
2nd Closure - Winter 2002-2003	December 15, 2002	90 Days
3 rd Closure - Winter 2003-2004	December 15, 2003	90 Days

3. There will be a limited number of daylight 8-hour duration lock closures at other times when the contractor is performing blasting and diving operations. These may be implemented through-out the entire duration of the contract. Notification of these short closures will be provided to industry as early as possible. During the short 8-hour duration closures, tows will not be allowed to tie to the guidewalls.

4. The construction contractor will have access and usage of the riverside area of the I-wall for the entire duration of this contract. All tows are restricted from using this area during this construction contract.

5. All navigation interests should be alert for, and abide by, any special instructions that may be issued by the Lockmasters in conjunction with these closures.

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